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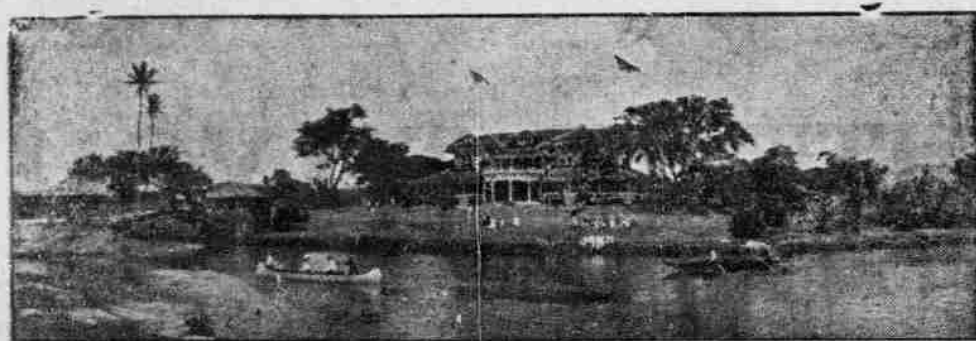
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PLANTER SPALDING WILL BUILD PORTLAND SKYSCRAPER

Borrows Half a Million Dollars at Five Per Cent to Construct a Twelve-Story Steel-Frame Building.

Portland (Oregon) Spectator.—The loan recently closed by Colonel Z. S. Spalding from the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, for \$500,000, at 5 per cent. interest, is, perhaps, the largest ever made in Portland for building purposes. The money is to be used by Colonel Spalding in the erection of his new skyscraper at the northwest corner of Third and Washington streets, which is to be a twelve-story steel-frame class A building. This loan was negotiated directly with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, through W. L. Boise, the local attorney, and shows unmistakably the faith of both Colonel Spalding and the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company in Portland real estate.

And, by the way, Colonel Spalding's investments in Portland are rather noteworthy. In 1890 he made to the late R. S. Perkins a loan of \$150,000 on the old Perkins Hotel and other real estate. In 1897, because of the panic, he had to foreclose his mortgage, and bid in the property covered thereby, although he did not want it, at about \$205,000. In fact, he was quite distressed that no one else would bid on the property the amount due him. He still practically owns all the property covered by his original mortgage; it has paid him large interest since he acquired it, and is well worth \$800,000. Having been at first forced to become an owner of Portland real estate, on a recent visit he was so well pleased with the result that he decided to acquire more of it. He therefore purchased the old Ladd corner at Third and Washington streets, and when he has finished his skyscraper thereon, it will represent an additional investment of nearly a million dollars.

Colonel Spalding has had an interesting career. During the rebellion he was a colonel in the Union Army; just after the close of the war he was sent by President Lincoln to Honolulu as a secret agent of the United States to watch the progress of international affairs in Hawaii for this country. Shortly after that he was made United States Consul to the Hawaiian Islands, and became a very close friend of King Kamehameha. When his term of office expired, the King proposed to Colonel Spalding that they go into partnership in a sugar plantation, which they did. Afterward the Colonel purchased the King's interest in the plantation, and has since conducted it himself. It is one of the largest in the Islands, employs an army of men, and has made Colonel Spalding a multimillionaire.

As to the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company and its faith in Portland, I also have an interesting story. The company is one of the largest—if not the largest—mortgage loaners in the world. Of its \$250,000,000

assets, by far the greater part is invested in first mortgage loans on real estate; the company maintains mortgage loan representatives in all the principal cities of the United States. In May of this year, when George C. Markham, president of the company, was in Portland, looking over the city with a view to making future loans, he said to his representatives that there was no city in the United States that he would rather make loans in than Portland, Oregon, for her future was assured; Portland was sustained by annual staple production, and there could not be a better foundation upon which to build a city.

In addition to the loan to Colonel Spalding, the Northwestern has also agreed to make another loan on Portland real estate for \$450,000, and many others for smaller amounts. This company has regularly been lending money in Portland since 1894, has never had to foreclose a mortgage, and has never had a default in interest, although its loans have aggregated millions of dollars.

MORE CHANGES IN THE POSTAL RATES

Postmaster Pratt has been advised of change in postal rate to Germany as follows:

"It is hereby ordered, the Postal Administration of Germany having concurred therein, that, commencing on the first of August, 1909, the rate of postage applicable to letters mailed in Hawaii for delivery in Germany shall be two cents an ounce or fraction thereof.

Notice is also given that commencing on the same date the postage rate applicable to letters mailed in Germany addressed for delivery in Hawaii will be ten pfennigs for each twenty grams or fraction of twenty grams. Letters unpaid, or short paid will be dispatched to destination but double the amount of deficient postage, calculated at the rates indicated, will be collectible of addressees upon the delivery of unpaid or short paid letters.

(Signed) F. H. HITCHCOCK, Postmaster General."

TRANSPARENCIES FOR HAWAIIAN BUILDING

Seattle.—The Hawaiian commission yesterday received from Honolulu twelve photographic transparencies which will be installed in various windows of the Hawaiian building. The transparencies are four feet square and each contains many views of Hawaiian scenery and life. The photographs were made by R. K. Bonine, of Honolulu, who is credited with being one of the foremost outdoor photographers in the islands. Among the views are surf-riding at the famous Waikiki beach at Honolulu. Will Cooper, representing the Hawaiian promotion bureau, declares that they are the best he has ever seen.

HAWAII AT THE FAIR.

Seattle.—Equally realistic is the Hawaiian display. There is a wealth of photographs, moving pictures and panoramic views—so much so, as the program indicates, that they are alternated. These practically take in everything of note in the islands. The volcanoes are seen in action, and very vivid indeed is the representation. Beauty spots and noted landmarks are shown in great profusion, and the people are shown at their amusements and on their promenades through the principal thoroughfares, thus enabling one to see at a glance the habits and costumes of the islanders of all nationalities. The lecturers, Augustus F. Knudsen, Lloyd Childs, special agent, and W. J. Cooper, know their subject, not only like a book, but better, and they put into it a personal touch that enhances the natural attractiveness of such a subject so well illustrated.

The current number of "Prometheus"—Berlin—contains a letter from Africa in which the writer describes a fish which is known to the natives as the fahaka. It makes its appearance in the Nile at high water time. The creature might properly be named a balloon fish. Its whole body, with the exception of a part of the under side, is covered with a thick layer of a jelly-like substance. On the uncovered part there are many sharp prongs. When attacked the fish rises to the surface, inhales air until its body assumes almost a globular form, then turns upon its back, leaving the protecting prongs upward in the water. "Fish and man alike know how sharp these are and what painful wounds they can inflict, and they give balloon fish a wide berth."

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